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- Request for 1 Month Extension of Time (1 page)
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A self-addressed return postcard in accordance with M.P.E.P. Section 503 itemizing all of the above-referenced documents filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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Dear Sir/Madam:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed April 17, 2003, said period of response being extended from May 12, 2003 to June 12, 2003.

Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0029 and notify us of the same.

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